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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:


In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. A copy of the listed document required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) is enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. Specifically, document C4 is enclosed.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

As set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct a fee in the amount of \$180.00 from Deposit Account No. 01-2508/**11362.0011.NPUS00**.

Applicant respectfully requests that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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